

FRANK L. SIMS

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Frank Sims is President of Cargill's Ag Producer Services and serves as a member of the Management Operation Committee

Sims joined Cargill in 1972 as a merchant in Chicago. He served as a merchant in Tuscola, IL and in Minneapolis, MN before being named branch manager for the Chicago facility. In 1982, he was named merchandising manager for the Producer Marketing Region in Minneapolis, and became manager of North American Grain's Coarse Grain Department in 1985 and was named an assistant vice president in 1986. He also was the division's Central Region manager, a position he held from 1989-1991. In June 1990, Sims was named vice president of North American Grain. In June 1998, he was named president of Cargill's North American Grain Division. He had been senior vice president of the North American Grain Division since July 1995.

Sims is past chairman of the North American Export Grain Association. He also is a member of the Chicago Board of Trade, a board member of Agriculture Future of America and the Minneapolis Medical Research Foundation, and a trustee of the United Theological Seminary. Sims also serves as a member of ATAC (Agricultural Technical Advisory Committee) for trade in grain and oilseeds - USDA.

He received a bachelor's degree in business administration from Paul Quinn College, Waco, Texas, in 1972.